

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY 293D BASE SUPPORT BATTALION

UNIT 29901 APO AE 09086-9901

July 28, 2005

Office of the Director of Public Works

SUBJECT: On-Post Solid Waste Disposal

To The Resident of Off-Post Housing

Dear Mannheim Military Community Off-Post Resident:

The DPW asks for your support to help comply with the problems we are having with excessive illegal dumping of solid waste on post. It is against Army Regulation and Command Policy for persons living off post to bring their solid waste onto any US controlled installation for disposal by government processes.

The city or district you presently reside in provides you with refuse collection services. If you are command sponsored these services are paid for through your living quarters allowance. The DPW spends millions of dollars of scarce tax payer dollars every year to dispose of solid waste brought onto the installations.

The consequences of failing to comply with this policy are:

- a. Issuance of a Memorandum of Warning by the Commander, 293D Base Support Battalion.
- b. A 14 day suspension of installation driving privileges for individuals caught using a vehicle in connection with violation of this policy. All others will receive an appropriate adverse administrative action.
- c. Referral of violation to the individual's Commander for possible UCMJ (military personnel) or Civilian Misconduct action (options include barring from military installations, early return of family members or curtailment of assignment).

The DPW Environmental Management Division will provide assistance to you for proper handling of hard-to-dispose items and major questions regarding municipal solid waste programs. Please do not hesitate to call Mr. Ziegler, DPW Environmental Management Division, DSN 381-7029 or Mannheim civilian 0621-730-7029 should you have any questions.

Thank you for your support and understanding.

Sincerely,

Larry E. Scavone, R.A. Director of Public Works